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Who would exchange the merry noise of children at play, with the childless home where the clock tick can be heard hour after hour in the dull silence? But there

are a great many who would like to people the silent house with the children that fate has refused them. Fate is often in this case only another word for ignorance. Many a glad mother dates her happiness from the day she first began the use of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It often happens that with the cure of female weakness and the establishing of the delicate womanly organs in sound health, the way is opened for the joy of motherhood. "Favorite Prescription" is a specific for the chronic ailments peculiar to women. It cures them perfectly and permanently.

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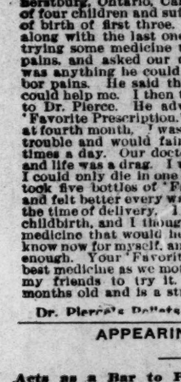

is what Mrs. Lucy Stovall, of Tilton, Ga., said after taking Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Hundreds of other weak women are being restored to perfect health by this remedy. YOU may be well if you will take it.

Indigestion causes nearly all the sickness that women have. It deprives the system of nourishment and the delicate organs peculiar to women suffer—weaken, and become diseased.

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Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will only be printed in the paper as advertisements.

[Entered at the Postoffice of Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.]

WOMAN ASSAULTED.

Miss Rosa Holley, of Washington, while in a helpless condition, was criminally assaulted at Germantown, Md., Saturday, and a warrant has been issued for George Cobarth, a white blacksmith of that town, who is charged with the crime. The news of the assault has so aroused the people of Germantown and the vicinity that it is feared than an attempt at lynching may follow Cobarth's arrest. He is still at large, and was last seen at Boyds yesterday afternoon.

Miss Holley, who is about thirty-five years old, owns, in connection with her five sisters, a small place near Darnestown, which she occasionally visits. While on her way Saturday from that place to Germantown to fulfill an engagement, she became ill, and to allay pain, she took a powder containing an opiate, which had been prescribed for her by her family physician. She followed this powder too closely with another, and as a result when she alighted from a train at Germantown she was dazed and almost helpless.

From her actions at the station the agent thought she was intoxicated, but she was not interfered with, and soon wandered from the station a few hundred yards and fell to the ground.

It is alleged that Cobarth found her and induced her to go to his room near by, where he is charged with keeping her until 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. At this time some one passing heard her, it is alleged, pleading with Cobarth to release her, promising him money if he would do so.

Several men were notified and the woman was forcibly taken from the room to the house of Dr. John Rome, where her injuries were attended to. Cobarth, it is alleged, immediately fled. Miss Holley was afterwood removed to the home of her friend, American Biggs, near Darnestown. She is in a very critical condition.

As soon as the warrant was sworn out Sheriff Williams and his deputies immediately took up the trail of Cobarth tracing him to Boyds. His arrest is expected before morning.

Church Arraigned.

"I am surprised and astonished at the way the so-called Christian business man keeps his pledges to his God and his church. The churches do not seem to be much more than social organizations now. They spend more time developing along social lines than they do along spiritual lines."

Before sailing for Europe yesterday Rev. G. Campbell Morgan, the London evangelist, scathingly arraigned the condition of churches in America and the attitude of their members toward them. Beginning with the sentence quoted above he continued:

"Now why is this a condition? Because the business men, the influential Christians and those who are in position do not do their duty. Wrapped up in their own affairs or busy in the pursuit of pleasure or frivolity they lose track of the way and forget the pledges they made to their church. The old fire and the old-time spirit are lacking, and without this what can be expected by social clubs and a leading away from God and the path? Many a man whose name is on a church roll is not doing his part in the conversion of the sinner or the spread of the gospel. How can a business man expect to have an influence with his employes when they know his life, his methods and just how far he practices what he preaches? What the churches want is more of God and less of dress and social position; more of the spirit of the Master and less of a strife for place and money, and more religion by example and life than by preaching and talking. Follow God in the life and you become a continual sermon for him."

Assault Justified.

"I always hold," said Justice Crutchfield in Richmond yesterday morning, as he discharged Police Commissioner Chris. Manning, upon trial for assaulting C. N. Goodwin, "that when a man is called a liar he has a right to punch the man who called him that."

This elemental principle of justice, which has become an unwritten statute in the court of Justice Crutchfield, effectively disposed of a case that has attracted attention in Richmond in the past few days. Mr. Goodwin, it appears from the testimony, discussed Mr. Manning's character with a number of political sympathizers, concluding with a statement that the police commissioner was a crook. He was induced to repeat this statement before Mr. Manning while the latter was standing on Main street Tuesday afternoon.

Before punching Mr. Goodwin, Mr. Manning asked if he was drunk, and the testimony shows Mr. Goodwin replied that he was not drunk and that Mr. Manning was not only a crook but was a liar.

Judge Crutchfield asked Mr. Goodwin what he would do if he was called a crook and a liar to his face and Mr. Goodwin declared that he would punch the man who called him such.

"If I had not been drunk," said Mr. Goodwin, "I would not have sworn out a warrant. But I do not retract my statement."

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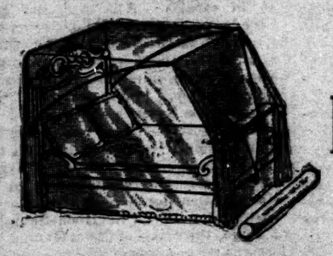

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Col. Ellett Arrested.

Col. Tazewell Ellett, a former Congressman from Virginia, who lives at the Calumet Club in New York went to the Arena restaurant, yesterday evening, for dinner. An argument took place between Col. Ellett and a waiter, and the colonel knocked the waiter down. The colonel, who is a big man, soon found that he had to contend with the entire force of the Arena, and the result was that after smashing everything around him he lauded on the sidewalk still full of fight. Policeman Flood came along and put the colonel under arrest, and started with his prisoner for the station. In front of the Hotel Breslin, the colonel banged Flood on the nose and knocked him down. A mix-up followed, and Flood was getting decidedly the worst of it when Policemen O'Neal, Reardon, and Daly came to his rescue. A patrol wagon was called and the colonel was taken to the Tenderloin station, charged with disorderly conduct. At the station house the colonel absolutely refused to be searched, and it required some of the reserves to remove his valuables.

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are instantly relieved, and perfectly healed by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. C. Rivenbark, jr., of Norfolk, Va., writes: "I burnt my knee dreadfully; that it blistered all over. Bucklen's Arnica Salve stopped the pain, and healed it without a scar." Also heals all wounds and sores, 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons druggists.

A Warning to Mothers.

Too much care cannot be used with small children during the hot weather of the summer months to guard against bowel troubles. As a rule it is only necessary to give the child a dose of castor oil to correct any disorder of the bowels. Do not use any substitute, but give the oldfashioned castor oil, and see that it is fresh, as rancid oil nauseates and has a tendency to gripe. If this does not check the bowels give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and then a dose of castor oil, and the disease may be checked in its incipiency and all danger avoided. The castor oil and this remedy should be procured at once and kept ready for instant use as soon as the first indication of any bowel trouble appears. This is the most successful treatment known and may be relied upon with implicit confidence even in case of cholera infantum. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co

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Pleasantly Effective.

Never in the way, no trouble to carry, easy to take pleasant and never failing in results are DeWitt's Little Early Risers These famous little pills are a certain guarantee against headache, biliousness, torpid liver and all of the ills resulting from constipation. They tonic and strengthen the liver. Cure Jaundice. Sold by W. F. Creighton, & Co., 461 King street.

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Brussell Carpets, in lengths of 4 to 20 yards, 50 cts. a yard.

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OTTERBURN LITHIA WATER.—This water is indicated in all affections due to Uric Acid, Diathesis, Gout, Rheumatism, Stone in the Bladder, Kidneys or Liver, Bright's Disease and Kidney Diseases of every form For sale by WARFIELD & HALL, Sole Agents, Cor. Prince & Fairfax Sts

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25c Ladies' Collars now	9c
50c Lisle and Silk Gloves, pair	29c
50c Silk Belts, now	35c
35c Turkish Bath Mats, now	25c
10c and 12½c Hamburg Embroidery now	7c
One lot $1 Corsets now	49c
25c Lisle Gloves now	15c
Lot Ladies' $1.25 White Waists now	75c
Ladies' 75c White Waist Patterns now	39c
Ladies' $1 and $1.50 Waist Patterns now	59c
Children's 50c Percale Dresses now	25c
6c and 8c Embroidery now	4c
25 dozen cakes Good Toilet Soap, cake	2c
50 dozen Ladies' 10c Ribbed Vests, each	6c
15 dozen Ladies' Muslin Pants, each	23c
3 Ladies' $4.50 Black Silk Waists	$1.98
50c Dressing Sacques now	25c
100 Short Muslin Skirts now	69c
Ladies' 50c Percale Waists, sizes 32 and 34, now	15c
1,500 yards 8c and 10c Torchon Lace, yard	4c
$1 Lawn Wrappers now	59c
50c Seersucker Underskirts now	35c
75c Black Duck Skirts now	59c
$1 Black Duck Skirts now	69c
10 dozen Ladies' Kimonas, each	25c
25 dozen bottles Good Ammonia, each	4c
Ladies' $3 50 White Lawn Suits, now	$1,98
Ladies' $3.50 White China Silk Waists, now	$2.25
Ladies' $2.98 Black and White China Silk Waists now	$1.98
Children's 50c Caps now	35c
Children's 75c Caps now	59c
Children's $1 Caps now	65c
Children's $1 White Lawn Hats	49c
Children's 50c White Wash Hats	35c
Children's 25c White Wash Hats	19c
One piece 25c Blue Serge, 38 inches wide, per yard	19c
All 25c White Madras, yard	18c
15 pieces good Cannon Cloth now	8c
One lot 10c and 12½c Lawns now	5c
5c and 6c Fancy Lawns now	4c
12½ Silk Effects now	8½c
10 pieces 12½c Dress Voiles now	4½c
One lot 10c White Madras now	5c
All 12½c Fancy Lawns now	7½c
One lot 10c and 12½c Dress Ginghams 10c Lawns now	6½c
10c and 12½c Light Duck now	5c
12½c Percales, 36 inches wide, now	7½c
One lot 10c Percales, 36 inches wide	5c
1,000 yards new 8c Light Outings now	6c
One case new Blue and Red Calico	4½c
10 pieces 10c and 12½c Thin White Goods	7½c
8c and 10c Bleached Mus'in Remnants	6½c
15c Japanese Matting now	11½c
25c Japanese Matting now	19c
35c Japanese Matting now	25c
$1.50 Black Suit Cases now	89c
$1,98 Black Suit Cases now	$1.19
One $2.50 Suit Case (damaged)	$1.25
75c Long Kimonas now	49c
$1 Long Kimonas now	69c
$1.98 Long Crepe Kimonas now	$1.25
18c Black Silk Ribbon, 4 inches wide	12½c
Lot 10c Featherbone Collars now	5c
One lot 25c Linen Window Shades	15c
Children's 10c Socks now	5c
50c and 75c Fancy Silks now	25c
50c and 60c Val. Laces, 12 yards for	39c
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One piece 75c Black Mohair	55c

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PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF THE CONSTRUCTING Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md., August 7, 1905.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon August 24, 1905, for Repairs and Alterations to construction work proper in the Hospital at Fort Washington, Md., necessary on account of a fire which recently occurred in that building. Information regarding the specifications may be obtained at this office. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for Repairs and Alterations to Hospital," and addressed to 1st Lieut. WILLIS C. METCALF, Arty Corps, U. S. A., Fort Washington, Md.

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GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERmaster's Department, Washington, D. C., August 14, 1905.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, August 30, 1905, for constructing sewer from coal testing plant on U. S. Reservation at south end of Aqueduct Bridge, Rosslyn, Va., to the Potomac River. Plans and specifications can be seen and information obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Constructing Sewer," and addressed to Captain A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot.

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SIC SEMPER TYRANNIS

THURSDAY EVENING, AUG. 24, 1905.

NEW and damaging evidence of irregularities on the part of Senator Burton, of Kansas, is said to have been discovered recently by Col. John S. Mosby, special agent of the Department of Justice. It is said the department has a list of 26 Chicasaw national fund warrants issued to Senator Burton and a mysterious Z. T. Burton in payment for services as attorneys. The value of the 26 warrants is $14,000, and it is understood they were given in payment for services rendered in getting claims through the Interior Department while Burton was a member of the Senate. Five of the claims worth $5,500 were issued to Senator Burton and the others to the mysterious Z. T. Burton. The latter, it is claimed, is a name assumed by Senator Burton for the purpose of concealing his identity. It is said the department has one witness who will testify that on one occasion when he came to Washington on business for the Indian Territory, he saw Senator Burton and was told by the latter that he alone was authorized to represent the Indians before the Interior Department. Colonel Mosby went to the Indian Territory several weeks ago to investigate for the Department of Justice the scandals in connection with the issuance of Chicasaw warrants. He has now completed his work and returned to Washington. The discovery of this new evidence will probably put an end to the recent talk to the effect that President Roosevelt was contemplating abandoning the case now pending against the Senator for irregular practice before the Postoffice Department. Burton has already been tried on this charge and convicted, but the Supreme Court of the United States, on appeal, set the verdict aside.

ALTHOUGH John Paul Jones has been dead more than a century and all that is mortal of the doughty admiral is inclosed within a hugh leaden casket at Annapolis, there is one man in the country who is firm in the conviction that the spirit of the ancient man-o'-warsman watches over the body. This man is a private in the United States Marine Corps and the manner in which his belief was born is unique. Ever since the body of Admiral Jones has been at Annapolis it has been kept within a vault before the door of which there has been continually on guard one of the marines—a mark of respect to the dead hero. The man declares that one night last week as he swung open the door of the vault in the gray dawn to permit ventilation some dark object rushed at him, and so frightened him that he ran to the barracks and aroused the entire guard. Although he was sent to the "brig," he refuses to again guard the place. The admiral has been dead long enough now to stop scaring people; he did enough of such work during his former appearance upon earth; still he may have a grudge against those who moved his bones.

THE IDEA advanced by H. M. Goldberg, a San Francisco, Cal., dealer, in a letter to the American Grocer, is that the grocery business should be considered as a public utility, and the people who govern a grocery business should be under supervision. This might mean less grocery stores but better ones, and the concentration of the traffic. The plan is commended by the editor of the American Grocer as the only practical policy which will give power to organization. The writer makes a plea for more idealism and more seriousness among the merchants themselves. He thinks it is hopeless to get anything out of the manufacturers in the way of a positive guaranty as to their products, but this should not be.

JOSE MINGUEL GOMEZ, Governor of Santa Clara and liberal candidate for the presidency of the island of Cuba, has defied the powers of President Palma to inspect the municipalities without reference to local authorities. He says that the Supreme Court cannot be relied upon, because of its partiality to Palma, and adds that the whole island is a powder mine, containing a lighted fuse already half burned out. Those familiar with the character and habits of the Latin-Americans will not be surprised to hear of a revolution in Cuba at any time.

THE DEFEATED candidates in Tuesday's State primary are all accepting their defeat philosophically and so far have given out nothing but manly statements. The true characters of men are better judged in defeat than in victory and the candidates who lost, though sorely disappointed, are all showing themselves to be manly men. Their course will win for them many friends should they ever again appear before the public.

THE Richmond papers seem now to be Martin papers. But the election is over.

The American Bar Association met at Narragansett Pier, R. I., yesterday, at which its president, Mr. H. St. George Tucker, of Virginia, delivered the annual address.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., August 24.

It is said here by some of those who saw Commissioner Yerkes today in reference to the proposed removal of the office of the collector of internal revenue from Alexandria to Abingdon, Va., that Collector Summers "had been there before" and had secured the commissioner's ear; also it is reported that Secretary Shaw, who is a friend of Congressman Slemp, will, in all probability, favor the Congressman's wish to have the office removed to Mr. Summer's home at Abingdon.

That the watershed of the Potomac should be denuded of trees or the evenness of its run off seriously changed by even a partial reduction of its forest cover, would be a calamity which Washington, dependent as it is on the Potomac for its water-supply, would feel in the health and comfort of its homes. Just now, especially, when typhoid fever has drawn more than usual attention to the relations of health to water-supply in this city, the future of the Potomac watershed appears a matter of vital interest. A study of the forest conditions along the Potomac watershed was begun some time ago by the forest service in co-operation with the hydrographic survey of the reclamation service. Down to date this study has been completed in Mineral, Grant and Pendleton counties, West Virginia. Nearly two-thirds of the area of these counties is wooded. Merchantable timber, however, is present only in small amount in the dimensions suited for lumber. Tan bark, the most valuable forest product in the region, is secured in quantities sufficient to supply three large tanneries. It is satisfactory to learn from the reports of the study that, with adequate protection from fire and more careful cutting, there is every reason to count on a permanent supply of forest products in the region, fully equal to the present output.

Wallace Hood has been appointed postmaster at Greenwich, Prince William county, Va., vice W. M. Dulin, resigned.

Thomas E. Waggaman, the Washington real estate dealer who was indicted by the local grand jury two days ago for the alleged embezzlement of about $2,500 said to be a part of the estate of the late Adele B. French, this morning appeared before Judge Stafford where he gave bond in the sum of $3,000. The Title Guaranty Trust Company of Scranton, Pa., was his surety. Mr. Waggaman who has been staying in Front Royal, Va., for the past few months, voluntarily surrendered himself here this morning to Assistant District Attorneys Easby Smith.

Ambassador Meyer's report of his three hours' conference with the Russian Emperor at Peterhof yesterday afternoon was forwarded direct to President Roosevelt, at Oyster Bay, and is now in his hands. This statement was authorized at the State Department today. Ambassador Meyer has been acting under instructions direct from the President in his manipulation of the St. Petersburg end of the present almost desperate efforts to bring about peace at the Portsmouth conference.

Relatives of Edwin S. Holmes, jr., whose conduct while he was associate statistician of the Agriculture Department has been under investigation by the grand jury here, state that he is not in the city today. They declined to disclose his whereabouts. Attaches of the District Attorney's office refuse to make public the text of the indictment returned Tuesday against Frederick A. Peckham, of New York, or to reveal the names of the other persons supposed to have been indicted with Peckham on the charge of conspiracy.

The Postoffice Department has issued a fraud order against John R. Rogers, of 150 Nassau street, New York. His business consists of the sale of information upon race horses.

Peckham Arrested.

Frederick A. Peckham, of New York, whose name has been prominent in the investigation of the cotton report scandal, was arrested yesterday in Saratoga, where he was a guest at the Grand Union Hotel. The arrest was made on a bench warrant issued by Chief Justice H. M. Clabaugh, of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, as a result of an indictment found against him by the United States grand jury summoned specially to investigate the pacagkes. The indictment charges conspiracy to defraud the government. Peckham could not furnish $12,000 bail, and was locked up. He was to have had a hearing at Ballston Spa today. It is understood that at least one more arrest will be made, and that it will be made in New York. Peckham's name has been associated very closely with Moses Haas, of New York, and both of them declined to testify before the grand jury in Washington. Secretary Wilson reported that L. C. Van Riper, of New York, said that Haas acted as a go-between in conveying information from Holmes, the dismissed associate statistician, to other New York brokers.

Swimming the English Channel.

Dover, Eng., Aug. 24.—Three swimmers started from here this morning in an attempt to swim the English channel. The swimmers are Miss Annette Kellerman, who, on July 26, made a former attempt; T. W. Burgess, who has made two unsuccessful efforts, recently, and a swimmer from the Isle of Wight, named Mew. A report received early this afternoon said that Miss Kellerman had been compelled to give up when eight miles out from the shore owing to and attack of sea sickness. A fourth swimmer whose name is Holbein started this afternoon from here to make the long swim across the channel. Mew gave up the attempt at 1:20 this afternoon, after completing over half of the passage.

Later in the afternoon Burgess also gave up and was taken aboard one of the boats which accompanied the swimmers.

Yellow fever is being kept down in New Orleans, but in the State it is spreading, and a conflict with Mississippi over quarantine regulations is probable Leeville, La., with a population of 300, reports nearly two-thirds of the inhabitants stricken with yellow fever and only one doctor to attend them. The inhibition of transportation of freight is also beginning to tell on the food supplies in the localities dependent on New Orleans.

The fifth annual exhibition of the Clarke County Horse and Colt Show Association opened at Berryville yesterday. The attendance was the largest ever seen upon the grounds of the association on the first day of a meet, approximating 3,500, and the card presented was very attractive.

Col. Ellett who was arrested in New York yesterday, was arraigned in the Jefferson Market Court before Magistrate Moss on a charge of disorderly conduct. Southern friends of the prisoner were in court and obtained his discharge.

News of the Day.

David T. Thompson, who will succeed Ambassador Conger in Mexico, is a well-known Nebraska politician.

An outbreak has occurred in the Chinese Province of Yunnan against Christian colonization. Several Catholic priests, estimated at between 18 and 20, were killed. A Catholic church was wrecked.

Fourteen new cases, one death and three recoveries is the record for today in the typhoid fever situation in Washington yesterday, being in accordance with reports received at the Health Office up to the closing hour that evening.

The peace envoys have adjourned until Saturday. The situation is exceedingly uncertain. The Russians still refuse to pay an indemnity or to cede territory. President Roosevelt is still sanguine. He is in communication with the Czar through Ambassador Meyer, at St. Petersburg. Japan has submitted a new proposition covering an indemnity which the Russians will not accept.

News reached Maysville, Ky., yesterday of the drowning of a man named Gates and his wife and five children in the river between Maysville and Dover. Gates was in a shanty boat, intending going South, and tied up for the night at a point below Ripley. The rising river caused the boat to break loose and float to midstream. A towboat coming up with empty barges struck the shanty boat, demolishing it, and the whole family drowned, being asleep when the accident occurred.

Oliver Lott, a negro laborer at the lumber mill of G. Talley, at Tunnell Springs, Ala., during a quarrel with John and Harry Helton over a debt, opened fire on them, killing John Helton and seriously wounding Harry Helton. The negro then fled and barricaded himself in a house. A posse of citizens under the leadership of G. Talley attempted to arrest him. They surrounded the house, but Lott refused to surrender and fired on the crowd. Talley was mortally wounded and died a few hours later. The posse then fired on the negro and his body was afterward found riddled with bullets.

The situation in the Baltic provinces is not improving. Several political murders have been reported. Official advices show that the disturbances are fostered and directed by a thoroughly organized social revolutionary committee, with headquarters at Riga, the emissaries of which defy the best efforts of the police. The intelligence department of this committee supplies ample warning of the movements of troops. Four of the leaders were arrested recently, one of whom was a woman. The social revolutionaries are very stroug at Riga and Libau.

Arrangements have been made by the Chicago democracy, as represented by the Jefferson Club, for a farewell banquet to Mr. Wm. J. Bryan, previous to his departure for an extended tour around the world. The Auditorium banquet hall has been secured and the date set for September 15. Besides Mr. Bryan, Governor Douglas, of Massachusetts, ex-Governor Hogg, of Texas, and ex-Senator Pettigrew, of South Dakota, have been invited to take part in the programme. Mayor Dunne and Clarence S. Darrow and other local speakers will complete the array of orators.

While aiding her father, who was fighting with Robert Kile, of Centralia, Pa., Tuesday, twenty-year-old Anna Riley shot Kile twice and fatally wounded him. Kile had tried to enter the house, and Riley pushed him out. The two struggled on the porch, and Riley was knocked down. Then the girl, who had seized a revolver, fired four shots at Kile, one striking him in the abdomen and the other going through his head. He is now dying at the hospital, and the girl is in the Bloomburg jail. When two officers went last night to arrest her, she locked them in a room and escaped through a window with her three months' old baby but later was arrested.

Virginia News.

Mrs. Urania Colston, widow of Dr. Raleigh Colston, of Virginia, died at her home in Washington city yesterday.

Despondent on account of financial troubles William T. Tompkins, an old Confederate soldier, committed suicide Tuesday night at the residence of Miss Susan Hamner, near Redmonds, Albemarle county.

The seventy-sixth convention of the Virginia Synod of the Lutheran Church convened Tuesday night in St. Peter's Church, at Toms Brook. The opening ceremony was preached by the secretary, Rev. A. D. R. Hancher, of Staunton.

Thomas Parsons, colored, shot and killed Thomas Banks, another negro, at Ridgeway Church, in Buckingham, Tuesday, during a protracted meeting. Parsons claims self-defense, saying Banks hit him with his fist.

Captain and Mrs. William Fitzhugh Randolph have issued cards announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter Hebe, Grayson Randolph, to Dr. Jefferson Davis Smythe on Saturday, September 2, at 4 p. m., in St. James' Epicopal Church, Warrenton.

Miss Laura Stanton, daughter of Alfred Stanton, of Ashburn, Loudoun county, a retired civil engineer, died Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Anna Shepherd, in Leesburg, where she had been a guest for several days. She was 26 years of age.

The Albemarle Club, of Richmond, yesterday filed a deed of assignment through its officers—Arthur F. Robertson, vice president, and A. Brockenbrough, secretary and treasurer. All the assets of the club are conveyed to B. H. West, trustee, for the benefit of creditors.

William S. Doss, of Pittsylvania county, committed suicide with a shotgun Monday. He was about seventeen years old. No reason is assigned for the deed. He called on his sweetheart a short while before and tried to induce her to walk with him, telling her he had two bullets, one for her and one for himself.

A large crowd gathered at Winchester yesterday to attend the ceremonies incident to the laying of the cornerstone of the new Methodist church. The ceremonies were under the auspices of Cassia Lodge of Masons, of Woodstock, assisted by a large number of members of the different lodges of Masons throughout the valley. T. M. Davis, of Lynchburg, grand master, assisted by Dr. G. W. Carrington, of Richmond, grand secretary, conducted the ceremonies. Rev. C. D. Bulla, of Winchester, delivered the oration.

THE ELECTION.

The surprises of yesterday's primary were the almost uniform majorities of Martin the State over. His majority is probably 15,000. Even Montague's strongholds were open to Martin assaults and his victory was complete. Swanson lead the ticket in many counties and secured nearly as many votes as his opponents for Governor—Mann and Willard put together. Second place in the gubernatorial fight, apparently, goes to Mann, though this is not yet certain.

A peculiar feature of the campaipn was the fact that Mr. J. Taylor Ellyson was defeated in his home city for the nomination for Lieutenant-Governor by his opponent, Col. James Alston Cabell, of Richmond. Although Mr. Ellyson is nominated for the office by a splendid majority, his defeat in Richmond was a bitter pill. The fight on Ellyson in Richmond was made on the ground that Cabell stood for the office only on condition that Ellyson did not run and claims that Mr. Ellyson deceived him by coming out after he had said he would not run.

The conservative estimate of Martin's majority made by himself Tuesday night as 15,000 is likely to stand with slight variation. He carried every district in the State.

The vote of the State will fall probably 20,000 below the estimate made previous to the primary. It was believed it would reach 100,000. The indications are it will be less than 80,000.

Swanson led his highest opponent by about 13,000, while Mr. Ellyson led Mr. Cabell by 20,000 in the State. Major Anderson wins for attorney-general over Judge Samuel W. Williams by at least 10,000 majority, while Mr. Eggleston, for State superintendent, leads Mr. Hulvey by not less than 20,000.

The majorities in the Eighth district were: Alexandria city, Martin, 271; Swanson, 171; Alexandria county, Martin, 1; Willard, 15; Culpeper, Martin, 209; Swanson, 73; Fairfax, Martin, 3, Willard, 474; Eauquier, Martin, 433; Willard, 33; King George, Montague, 9, Willard, 47; Loudoun, Montague, 164; Swanson, 90; Lousia, Martin, 286; Swanson, 82; Orange, Martin, 70; Swanson, 16; Prince William, Montague, 200, Willard, 250; Stafford, Martin 225; Willard, 200.

Martin and Swanson received large majorities in the counties of South Side Virginia.

Twenty-seven of the 28 precincts of Shenandoah county in Tuesday's democratic primary gave Martin a majority of 226 over Montague for Senator; Swanson's plurality is 119 over Willard and Mann for Governor.

Complete returns from every precinct in Westmoreland give Montague 147 votes; Martin, 126; Mann, 104; Swanson 40; Willard, 110.

Complete returns from Richmond county are as follows: Martin, 27; Montague, 166; Willard, 100; Swanson, 47; Mann, 45;

Martin carried Spottsylvania county by 83 majority and Willard by 33. G. R. Swift, of Fredericksburg who wasformerly assistant secretary to Senator Martin, in Washington, defeated Dr. C. R. Massey, of Spottsylvania county, for the House of Delegates.

Stafford gives Martin and Willard a majority of about 200 each.

In King George the vote was Martin 113, Montague 122, Willard 122, Swanson 75, Mann 39. Only 235 votes were cast in the county.

Full reports from all the precincts in Clarke county show that a total vote of about 550 was polled. For Senator, Martin got 273 votes and Montague 257; for Governor, Swanson got 252, Willard 155 and Mann 130.

Complete official returns for Warren county give Montague 33 majority, and Swanson a plurality of 74 over Willard.

Aubrey E. Strode, of Amherst county, defeated Bland Massie, of Nelson county, for renomination as democratic Senator from the Nineteenth district, which is composed of the two counties mentioned, his majority being 12 votes. Strode carried Amherst by 47 majority, while Massie carried Nelson by 35.

The primary in Norfolk city, whose vote Chairman William W. Dey had promised Governor Montague, resulted in a majority of 200 for Senator Martin, and the sweeping out of power of Dey and his "good government" executive committee. The fact that Gov. Montague carried Norfolk county is a revelation to Senator Martin's leaders. The Governor's majority in the entire county was 173. Senator Martin's majority in Norfolk was 250, which is regarded as an exceedingly good showing, in view of the fact that his friends were in the minority faction there and in Tuesday's primary secured control of the election machinery and city committee.

United States Commisioner Alvin J. Travenner, who was defeated by Richard E. Byrd for the House of Delegates for Winchester and Frederick county, has served notice that he will contest the nomination of Byrd on the ground that republicans were permitted to vote, that many persons whose names did not appear on the official list of those having paid poll taxes and that other disqualified persons were allowed by certain judges to vote.

Shot by Policeman.

Sam Smith, alias Sam Jones, a negro living in Berkley, was shot through the heart while resisting arrest Tuesday by Police Detective J. T. Pettis, of Norfolk. Smith was arrested in Norfolk. The prisoner was first taken to a precinct police station and two officers took him to Berkley. Smith was charged with stealing chickens belonging to Rev. A. J. Ramsey, of Berkley. When Smith arrived in Berkley he told the officers that he would show them where he got the chickens if they would allow him to do so, and then led them to his home. Here he turned on the officers and defied them, calling on Amos Biggins, another negro, to come to his assistance. Smith is said to have seized an axe and Biggins a spade, and with these weapons they attacked the policemen. Pettis declared that he fired three shots to frighten his assailants, and finding them still determined, he fired a fourth shot at Smith with fatal results. Biggins, the accomplice of the slain man, was arrested. A jury later returned a verdict to the fact that Smith had been slain by Detective J. T. Pettis in self-defense.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Aug. 24.—London exerted a dominating influence on the stock market this morning, buying Pennsylvania heavily on the announcement of the application to list the stock in Berlin.

The Market.

Georgetown, Aug. 24.—Wheat 80a82.

Today's Telegraphic News

It's All Over Now.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Va., Aug. 24.—The candidates have abandoned headquarters and gone home. Politically the situation is quiet here. Montague and Willard people lost heavily and are paying bets with heavy hearts. Mr. Swanson has gone home to rest and fish. He declares he will not wait for Lewis to get the start on him, but will enter upon an aggressive campaign shortly after September 1st, and press it vigorously.

The Peace Negotiations.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 24.—The negotiations between the plenipotentiaries of Japan and Russia have begun in earnest. All that has gone before is to all intents and purposes preliminary to the final engagement which began at yesterdays session. From now on it will be a question of bargaining. Money, money," is Japan's cry. "Not a kopeck," is Russia's response.

Japan will not view with favor any modifications of her peace demands that include the sale of a part or all of Saghalin, and the waiving of the claim for reimbursement for war expenses.

Ishikwa, editor of the Hochi Shumbun of Tokio, the organ of Count Okuma, the former prime minister of Japan, has received a cable from his paper making such an announcement. It was in response to a message sent by him last night, relative to the Japanese proposals. It asked for and expression of opinion. The reply is as follows:

"The terms as cabled by you are such that no Japanese statesman can accept them. Saghalin is a vital necessity to the Japanese people and cannot be divided. About 45 years ago Russia proposed to divide Saghalin, but the Japanese government would not agree to a division and it urged that the island as a whole belonged to Japan. We could not now give up any part of the island. You state that the indemnity will be less than $1,000,000,000. That will not meet our cost of the war. We do not like the attitude of the Russians, and if Russia maintains her present attitude it is very doubtful if there will be peace in the Orient. We must fight for the just and lasting peace of the East."

Count Okuma, one of the great statesmen of Japan, is the political rival of the present prime minister, and the government party in power.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—The Foreign Office announces that the peace situation is improving and that the outlook is brighter, but that all the difficulties of effecting an adjustment of differences have not yet been overcome. The American Ambassador, Mr. Meyer, is making daily visits to Peterhof, to consult with the Czar. It is presumed these calls have an important bearing upon the negotiations. The reactionary press continues its jingo utterances. These papers now take the stand that the United States gave the impetus to the peace movement because it is feared that if the war continues Japan would not be able to pay her creditors.

The Cotton Leak Scandal.

New York, Aug. 24.—United States District Attorney Morgan H. Beach, of Washington, D. C., who has charge of the grand jury proceedings in that city in the cotton leak scandal, had another consultation with Assistant United States District Attorney Wise in the federal building here this morning. They were together about forty minutes, and then Mr. Beach left the office going across the Brooklyn bridge for the purpose of consulting with the United States District Attorney in Brooklyn. It is reported that the associate of Frederick A. Peckham, for whom United States Marshal Henkel has a warrant, is stopping at a summer resort somewhere on Long Island. The warrant for the arrest of this man, was issued by United States Commissioner Hitchcock, on complaint of United States District Attorney Beach, and charges him with complicity in the cotton leak scandal. When arrested he will be arraigned before Commissioner Hitchcock. Peckham, who was arrested yesterday in Saratoga, will be taken on to Washington as soon as the necessary papers are received by the Saratoga court.

Yellow Fever.

New Orleans, Aug. 24.—There were 53 cases of yellow fever in this city yesterday and five deaths, making a total of 219 deaths so far.

Brownsville, Ill., Aug. 24.—A negro in a large construction gang which has been working near here, for the last week, has developed yellow fever, it is claimed. Every one of the 300 members of the gang, and many citizens of this place have been exposed. Much alarm is felt that there may be an epidemic. Quarantine regulations have been enforced at the camp.

New Orleans, Aug. 24.—At 11 o'clock today, twelve new cases of yellow fever and three deaths from the disease were reported.

France and Morocco.

Paris, Aug. 24.—At the conclusion of the meeting of the council of ministers today, M. Etienne, the Minister of the Interior, read an official note to the newspaper men in regard to the question which has arisen through the seizure of an Algerian at Morocco. This note announced that France has insisted that the orders it has given for the release of the Algerian must be obeyed. It was decided that France will make a military demonstration along the Algerian frontier unless the Sultan of Morocco satisfies the demands first made for the release of the Algerian subject and makes reparation for his imprisonment.

Accident to Automobile.

New York, Aug. 24.—Two men and two women were seriously injured in an accident early this morning, when their automobile collided with a trolley car at Flatbush avenue and Kings Highway. The automobile was crossing the track when a trolley car, running 30 miles an hour, struck it. The automobile was smashed to bits, and its occupants thrown in all directions. The front of the trolley car was demolished. The motorman was slightly bruised. Several passengers were shaken up, but none injured.

Mother Drinks Laudanum.

Philadelphia, Aug. 24.—After kissing her four children good-bye and telling them she was going to die, Miss Margaret Burns, 35 years old, drank a bottle of laudanum in their presence in the dining room of their home, 1324 south Colorado street, at 10 o'clock this morning. She is unconscious at the St. Agnes hospital, and there is little hope of her recovery.

The Taggart Divorce Case.

Wooster, O., Aug. 24—In three words Miss Anna Berry, whose deposition was read today, sizes up Captain Taggart. She said:

"He was irritable, peevish and devoted."

Miss Berry's father, A. S. Berry, testified by deposition that "Captain Taggart was right fond of liquor. I never saw him drunk, but feeling comfortable. I sent him ten gallons of whisky, from this town myself."

Judge Berry said Mrs. Taggart had been a guest at his home at Newport, Ky., and that her conduct was "always that of a lady of refinement."

Mrs. Taggart will testify Saturday. A short, stout colored woman, Emma Lyttle, was the star witness for Mrs. Taggart today. For nine years she was cook in the Taggart family or nurse for the boys. She testified that Capt. Taggart drank much whiskey and while in Manila was very intimate with the Filipino woman, Augustina.

She also described the scene in the house the night Mrs. Taggart had spent the evening with Lieut. Fortescue, saying that Capt. Taggart treated her roughly and abused her upon her return home.

Disorders Increasing.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—Reports received from the rural district show that the disorders which have occurred with alarming frequency in the last few months are growing worse. The peasants and farm laborers are becoming bolder and the task of keeping them in subjection is daily growing harder. The latest outbreak reported today comes from the Voronesh district where a number of villages have been maliciously set on fire. In some cases the fires gained such headway that they have not yet been subdued.

Another Reprieve for Hoch.

Chicago, Aug. 24—Johann Hoch, convicted wife murderer and alleged multi-bigamist, today received another lease of life, when Justice Magruder, of the Illinois Supreme Court, granted a writ of supersedeas. Hoch's case will now be taken up by the higher court of the State. A decision will not be rendered until October. Hoch's lawyers claim the record shows many errors in the trial court, any one of which is sufficient to secure a reversal when the Supreme Court has completed its reviews.

Mysterious Disappearance.

Lancaster, Pa., Aug. 24.—A. L. Gallagher, the most extensive bucket shop proprietor in this city, disappeared Tuesday morning and his present whereabouts is unknown. He left no instructions for his clerks and operators, and his New York correspondents have closed his office. It is estimated that his liabilities are about $30,000. Books and accounts have also disappeared from the office.

Death of Mrs. Singer.

New York, Aug. 24.—Mrs. Sarah Singer, widow of Isaac A. Singer, who was the eldest of the twenty-four children of Isaac M. Singer, inventor of sewing machines, died today in a private hospital in this city. Isaac A Singer, upon his death in 1903, left an immense fortune to his widow and children, which will now be divided into four equal parts and apportioned among the two sons and two daughters.

Charged With Forgery.

New York, Augus 24.—James H. Hennessy, 38 years old, of Morristown, N. J., who for ten years was the confidential clerk and cashier of the D. H. Morgan estate, was arrested today with forgeries amounting to upward of $40,000. Hennessy has made complete confession, and says that this sum was lost by him in backing the horses in a pool room.

Japanese Repulsed.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—General Linievitch in dispatches received today reports that fighting occurred in the neighborhood of Hailouncho, Manchuria, in which the Russians repulsed the Japanese after a hard struggle. At three places in Corea, General Linievitch also reports the Russian defeated the Japanese who made attacks upon them.

Twenty-three Men Killed.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—A railway accident which occurred at the Yourta station of the Siberian Railway, today, resulted in the death of 23 men, and the serious injury of nearly fifty. Twenty-two private soldiers and one guard were killed outright. One officer and forty-seven privates were injured.

The board of visitors of Hampden Sydney College yesterday elected Dr. J. Gray McAllister president of the college to succeed Dr. Richard McIlwaine, resigned. He will accept and enter upon his duties before the opening of the next session.

They Appeal to Our Sympathies.

The bilious and dyspeptic are constant sufferers and appeal to our sympathies. There is not one of them, however, who may not be brought back to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. These tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and strengthen the digestion. They also regulate the bowels. For sale by Gibson Timberman and W. F Creighton & Co.

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Governor Montague.

Gov. Montague denies the report current through the State that he intends to go to New York after his term of office expires and yesterday the governor admitted that he had been apprised of reports to the effect that he would leave the State if defeated for the United States Senate, and these reports he emphatically denies. He says he has no intention of leaving the State. As yet he has not made up his mind as to what he will do after he retires as governor. Governor Montague said he would speak in behalf of the democratic nominees and would do all he could for the success of the party in the coming general election. He said he would make an announcement shortly which would show that he intends remaining true to the democratic party, to his loyal friends and supporters and to the people of Virginia.

As the reporter was taking his leave the governor said: "You have been asking me questions, now do me a favor. Say in your paper that I am expressibly grateful to my friends and the people who have honored me with their support. Yes, I am grateful beyond words. I have an abiding affection and esteem for the people of Virginia, and I am sure I shall never forget their many kindnesses to me."

Mann and Willard.

Judge Mann and Capt. Willard have have given out the following statements as to their defeats in Tuesday's primary:

"I beg to say that my defeat was due to the simple fact that my friend Swanson received more votes than I did, and I heartily congratulate him on his splendid success. I am sincerely grateful to my friends throughout the State for their efforts in my behalf and thank them from the bottom of my heart. The Democratic nominees shall have my earnest support. WM. HODGES MANN."

"I desire to say through the State press that there can be no misapprehension as to the result of the recent primary. The people of the State have recorded their choice for the various offices in no uncertain terms, and for the office of Governor the Hon. Claude A. Swanson has been nominated by a decisive plurality, perhaps a majority. I accept this verdict without reservation, and shall give my earnest and untiring support to my successful competitor and every other nominee. For the friends who have so generously supported me, I shall ever cherish feelings of deepest gratitude, and take this means of extending to them my heartfelt thanks. It is my sincere desire that my friends and supporters everywhere will give to the nominees of the primary the same lloyal and zealous support they have given my candidacy.

JOSEPH E. WILLARD"

Complimentary Telegrams.

The following correspondence took place yesterday between Judge Mann and Mr. Swanson.

Hon. C. A. Swanson:

Accept my congratulations and assurances of hearty support.

(Signed) WM. H. MANN.

Judge W. H. Mann:

I appreciate very much indeed your kind congratulations and assurances of support. With kind regards and best wishes. CLAUDE A. SWANSON.

Captain Willard sent Mr. Swanson the following very cordial letter yesterday:

"I hasten to assure you of my hearty and unqualified support, and to say that my every effort shall be given to insure your triumphant election.

(Signed) "JOSEPH E. WILLARD."

Mr. Swanson's reply, sent last night, was as follows:

Captain Joseph E. Willard:

I am just in receipt of your very kind letter with its assurances of warm and cordial support.

I write to assure you of my very high appreciation of the same and I am confident you can and will render the democratic party and me very valuable and efficient aid. With kind regards and good wishes, I am, yours very truly,

(Signed) CLAUDE A. SWANSON.

Fraud Exposed.

A few counterfeiters have lately been making and trying to sell Imitations of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to warn you to beware of such people who seek to profit, through stealing the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing disease, for over 35 years. A sure protection, to you, is our name on the wrapper. Look for it, on all Dr. King's or Bucklen's remedies, as all others are mere imitations. H. E. BUCKLEN & CO., Chicago, Ill., and Windso., Canada. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater and Sons

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Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, AUG. 24, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:21 and sets 6:44. High water at 2:30 a. m. and 2:53 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section partly cloudy tonight and Friday, with occasional showers, cooler Friday; variable winds.

Alleged Irregularities.

There was some talk yesterday on the streets on the part of members of the minority wing of the democratic party of this city that certain irregularities were in evidence at the Second ward polls Tuesday. Nothing, however, was adduced to show that any serious breach of the election laws had been tolerated, and it was supposed that the charges were but echoes of the primary, and the common expressions of the vanquished. But the matter assumed a serious phase last night when the city democratic committee met to canvass the vote.

Mr. A. D. Brockett, one of the supporters of Messrs. Montague and Willard, was present at the meeting, and he formally presented charges of irregularities in the ward.

The following committeemen were present: Chairman Charles Bendheim and Messrs. George L. Simpson, O. F. Carter, E. F. Thompson, and George E. Price. Messrs. Robert L. Jones and John W. May were also present. The last named was the personal representative of Mr. Willard in the Second ward voting place and Committeeman Price was one of the judges of election.

After the votes of the First, Third and Fourth wards had been canvassed and approved, Mr. Bendheim asked Mr. Brockett to state to the committee his grounds for complaint. Mr. Brockett announced that there was no objection to the count in the Second ward, but he claimed that contrary to law the judges had passed out tickets to certain people, who had distributed them to other people; that the tickets had been carried away from the voting place and marked for the voters, and the ballots had then been cast.

Mr. Price said that he had given two tickets to one man who said that he wanted them for friends who, he said, were in the neighborhood, and had given another ticket to a man who, instead of going to the booth, had gone to his home, failing to vote. Mr. Price said that what he had done was not with the idea of aiding any candidate nor did he know that he had committed any serious error.

Mr. Bendheim said that he had been informed early Tuesday morning that judges in the second ward were allowing men to have more than one ticket, and he had at once gone to that ward and instructed the judges that this was contrary to the plan adopted by the State central committee.

Mr. Simpson moved that inasmuch as it had been shown that there were irregularities in the Second ward, the committee refuse to accept the report of the judges in that ward. The motion was not seconded.

Mr. Bendheim said that he would be willing to throw out the Second ward vote if it could be shown that irregularities had been practiced with the view of aiding any particular candidate but that this had not been shown, and was not even claimed by the gentlemen who had brought the complaint before the committee.

Mr. Simpson said he thought the judges in the Second ward should be taught a lesson, and that the proper way to accomplish this would be by throwing out the vote of that ward.

Mr. Brockett said that he would be willing to withdraw his complaint if the chairman of the committee would publish a card, taking the blame upon himself and announcing that he, Mr. Brockett, was right in his contentions.

Mr. Simpson said that he was opposed to the chairman taking such a position, and moved that the vote of the Second ward be canvassed, which motion was carried and the vote approved.

The Collector's Office.

Mayor Paff and a committee of citizens this morning went to Washington to see Commissioner of Revenue Yerkes concerning the retention in this city of the office of Collector of Revenue which Collector Summers is endeavoring to have removed to Abingdon. The committee was accompanied by Congressman Rixey, who, as soon as he heard of the matter, left his home in Culpeper and hurried to Washington to aid his Alexandria friends, though he had to break an important engagement at home. The committee was told that Mr. Summers had filed an application for the removal of the office and that, according to agreement the Commissioner had written to Mr. M. B. Harlow, president of the Business Men's League, to notify him and to let the Alexandria people know of Mr. Summers's request. The committee urged Mr. Yerkes not to change the office, stating that it had been located in Alexandria several times and for long periods and that the railroad and mail facilities of Alexandria made this city a desirable point for the office; besides the new government building here was in every way adapted for the needs and conveniences of the office. Mr. Yerkes stated that he had been informed by Collector Summers that the government building in Abingdon was in every way suited for the office and could be easily arranged for that purpose; that the office had been moved from Lynchburg to Alexandria for the convenience of Mr. Agnew and that it was quite natural that Mr. Summers should want it moved from Alexandria to Abingdon—his home. He also said that Abingdon was about as near the centre of the revenue district as was Alexandria. After some informal talk Mr. Yerkes said he would not take final action upon the matter before September 10, by which time the Alexandria people could present him the arguments for the retention of the office in this city.

Ankles Sprained.

A young man named Clarence Lloyd, 19 years old, living on Gibbon street in this city, had both his ankles sprained last night at Accotink, on the Washington-Southern Railway. A north bound train was passing the station and in attempting to board it he fell with the result stated above. The young man was brought to this city this morning and taken to the Alexandria Hospital for treatment.

The mercury touched the 90 mark again today.

Warm Wave.

The last week of August generally brings the most depressing temperature of the summer. The humidity during the past few days has been great and conditions extremely uncomfortable. The weather throughout yesterday and last night was very sultry. A dead calm prevailed before and after dark and people were kept busy mopping their brows and fighting mosquitoes. The Weather Bureau announces that relief is in sight. There have, so far, been no cases of sunstroke hereabouts, although some whose occupations keep them in the streets have at times been on the verge of prostration. Every precaution should be used by persons who are compelled to expose themselves to the sun's rays. Undue physicial exertion is to be avoided. The least sign of faintness, nausea or dizziness should be an indication to stop work and rest in some cool or shady spot. The sudden stoppage of pespiration on a hot day is always a bad sign. Those who indulge too freely in spirituous drinks are most frequently attacked in hot weather. The practice tends to produce a greater or less congestion of the blood vessels of the brain, which in itself is an easy invitation to more radical and serious changes in that organ.

Baseball.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W	L	Pct
Del Ray	5	2	714
Invincible	5	3	634
Oriental	4	3	556
Virginia	3	4	429

A game of baseball will be played tomorrow evening on the old fair grounds between the Invincibles and the Del Rays at 5 o'clock sharp. Should the Invincibles win this game they will tie for first place in the standing of the clubs. Should the Del Rays win the pennant will be theirs.

The Alexandria Athletic Club and the St. Aloysius of the Capital City League, of Washington, will play a game of baseball on the old fair grounds this afternoon at 5 o'clock. The St. Aloysius team is composed of some of the best players of the capital city. The Alexandria team this year is in much better form than ever, and a hard fight for the game is expected.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

William Taylor, colored, arrested by Officer Bell charged with destroying property belonging to Mary Francis, forfeited $5 collateral by failing to appear.

Annie Lee, arrested by Officers Mayhugh and Patterson charged with being drunk and disorderly, forfeited $5 collateral by failing to appear.

Benjamin Johnson, colored, arrested by Officers Bettis and Nicholson charged with assaulting Laura Johnson, was fined $5.

James Miller, colored, arrested by Officers Mayhugh and Patterson charged with assaulting Alberta Miller, was fined $5. The woman was also fined $5 for disorderly conduct.

Personal.

Miss Alice Graham, of Alexandria, is a guest of Mrs. M. L. Chesley and daughters.—[Fredericksburg Lance.

Mr. Thomas Evans, who has been visiting this city and Richmond, left today for New York.

Captain and Mrs. John A. Herndon, of Alexandria, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. C. W. Scott, in Rivermont.—[Lynchburg News.

Mrs. M. J. Green and Mrs. E. H. Hammond and son, Willie, have returned from a pleasant visit to relatives in Providence, R. I.

Mrs. Urban S. Lambert with her two children and accompanied by her sister, Miss Clara Wible, has gone to Canal Dover, Ohio, on a visit to her parents.

Wedding.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Coffin, on Prince street, last night, when Miss Mamie Coffin became the bride of Mr. James McFadden, of Chattanooga, Tenn, Rev. Father H. J. Cutler officiating. The bride was attired in white organdie and was attended by her sister, Miss Julia Coffin, and Miss Loretto McFadden, sister of the groom. The groom was attended by Mr. Frank Duall, of Knoxville, Tenn., and Mr. John Coffin, brother of the bride. The newly married couple left on a late train for Atlanta, Ga. Mr. and Mrs. McFadden will reside in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Rechabites.

Perseverance Tent, No. 1098, I. O. R., last night paid Onward Tent at Washington a fraternal visit and was pleasantly entertained. Speeches were made by Messrs. L. D. Lyles, Edgar Lyles, E. L. Naylor and others. Miss Ford rendered a popular recitation and there were solos by J. S. Sullivan, Miss Elsie Fowler and Mr. Wright. Perseverance Tent now has its full paraphernalia, and it will on Monday night conduct the initiation in full form. The tent is but six weeks old and has a membership of 42. Eight new members will be initiated next Monday.

Soul Saving Congress.

Rev. Robert B. Robinson, colored, of this city, has issured a call for a general Christian conference of Afro-American ministers of the United States and Canada to be held in Washington on the 25th day of next January. It is to be known as a soul saving congress, and its object will be to put before the world the necessity of increased interest in christianity, morality, sobriety and cleanliness. "The only way to save our race," Robinson says, "Is to christianize, it teach it morality, and how to live."

Paralyzed in Market.

Mrs Mary Jane Jones, wife of Mr. James Jones, of Fairfax county, was paralyzed while in market this morning. It was at first supposed that she had fainted, but efforts to revive her proving futile, Dr. Jones was summoned and he soon discovered that she had received a paralytic stroke. Mrs. Jones was subsequently taken to her home. One of her sons has recently been extremely ill of typhoid fever.

Picnic.

A picnic was given by the Odd Fellows of Accotink yesterday. There was a large attendance, some persons from this city being present. Refreshments were served and music and dancing added to the enjoyment of the occasion. Miss Eva Shepperd won the first prize and Miss Etta Dove the second, as being the most popular young ladies in Accotink. One received a watch and the other a ring.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The barge Lily of the West, loaded with lumber by H. K. Field & Co., has left for Arcturus.

A social will be given at Armory Hall Friday and Saturday nights for the benefit of the M. P. A.

Ella Henson, colored, who was recently adjudged insane and sent from this city to the Petersburg Asylum, died at that institution a few days ago.

A horse was found astray in the streets last night by Officers Mayhugh and Patterson. The owner of the animal appeared at the station house this morning and took it in charge.

A tool house in West End was robbed last night of its contents. The tools belonged to carpenters who are engaged in erecting several brick residences on the south side of Duke street extended.

The lighthouse service steamer Holly has sailed from Baltimore with a hold full and deckload of wood and coal, which she will supply to the nine light stations on the Potomac from Point Lookout to Jones's Point light at Alexandria.

Soft Crabs and Deviled Crabs fresh every day. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. tu,th,sa

THE CONSTITUTION.

City and Town Taxation.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette.

The present constitution of Virginia prohibits cities and towns from imposing any tax or assessment upon abutting land-owners for street improvements. This prohibition changed the policy of all, or nearly all, of the cities of the State, and has greatly retarded municipal improvements.

It is becoming more and more apparent that the prosperity of every city depends largely upon the condition of its streets. Quick and comfortable communication between different parts of a city facilitates business. Smooth, clean streets stimulate the pride of the citizens, and encourage all kinds of improvements. Since the paving of King street with vitrified brick there has been a rapid improvement in sidewalks, store fronts and property generally along that street.

The prosperity of any city is increased by favorable impressions made upon strangers, especially upon those seeking homes or investments. Rough and dirty streets not only fail to attract, but actually repel those who might otherwise contribute to the business life of the city. Every dollar put into permanent street improvements will come back to the people in the form of increased business, and to the city in the form of greater receipts from taxes. Many of the most careful, conservative and prosperous business men in Alexandria have written to the undersigned saying that their own property upon King street, and that of others, has been enhanced in value by the improved paving, in some cases twenty-five per cent or more, and in none less than ten per cen. No person who owns property upon King street has yet been heard to say that the value of his property has not been increased far in excess of the amount paid as the special assessment. It cannot be doubted that a similar increase would result from the improvement of other streets.

How can this improvement be secured? There are three ways: The abutting land-owners may bear the whole expense; the city may bear the whole expense; or, the expense may be borne partly by the land-owners and partly by the city. Which plan is the fairest and most effective?

Manifestly, it would be a great hardship to charge the entire cost of street improvement upon the abutting land owners. It is true that the land owners are sure to be benefitted, perhaps to an extent even more than sufficient to cover the entire outlay for that purpose. But the city also is benefitted to the extent of the increased amount received from taxes from the property immediately affected and by reason of the general uplift of values which follows every extensive improvement. All taxpayers of a city are benefitted by the permanent improvement of any street. Therefore, it would be unjust to put the whole burden of such improvement upon the abutting land owners, especially as they are already taxed for sidewalks and sewers.

The next question is, Should the city bear the whole cost of street improvements? In strict justice it should not. The ideal plan of taxation is that its burdens should be exactly proportioned to its benefits. This ideal is not generally obtainable, but in most cases it may be approximated. If the whole cost of improving a street is borne by the city, the citizens whose property is situated a mile from the street pays in taxes as large a share of the cost of the improvement as the man whose property is located upon the improved street. Yet the improvement may benefit the latter a hundred times more than it does the former. Why, then, should the latter not pay a larger share of the cost? The person whose property is situated upon an improved street should pay a special assessment equal to the extent to which his property is enhanced in value by the improvement over and above the general enhancement of values which comes from that source to the city generally. That is the theory. In practice, the city is not usually financially able to make extensive permanent street improvements without assistance. It is found very difficult to induce the land owners upon any street, or upon any square, to agree to assist the city in bearing this expense. When it is proposed to furnish any street with free improvements all the streets are clamorous for them and the contention between rival sections is apt to kill the proposition. Even a small special tax would prevent this rivalry.

In short, it has been demonstrated in the city of Alexandria that the plan of dividing the cost of street improvements between the city and the abutting land owners is the one by which the greatest progress can be made. The assessments may be divided into instalments to give the least inconvenience to the property owners in order that everybody may be benefitted and nobody injured.

Several months ago the undersigned prepared a bill proposing an amendment to the constitution of Virginia on this subject. The fact was communicated to the city council of Alexandria and it is said that they unanimously endorsed the plan. It is expected that they will actively co-operate in securing favorable action upon the measure at the next session of the legislature. This amendment provides that a city or town may levy a special assessment upon abutting land owners for street improvements not exceeding one-half of the cost of such improvements, and not in excess of the peculiar benefits resulting therefrom.

The proposed amendment does not require that such assessments be levied, but simply permits them. The charters of the several cities, and the councils acting under these charters, may levy such assessments or not, according to local requirements. In order to become operative this amendment must be approved by the legislaiure at its next two sessions, and ratified by the people of the State. It is earnestly hoped that all friends of street improvements and of municipal progress generally will give the measure their hearty support.

Respectfully yours,
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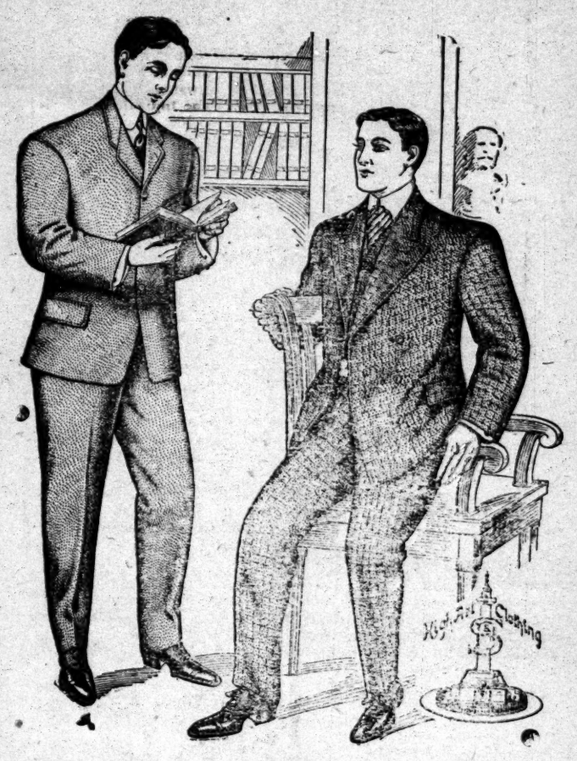

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Second floor, G st.

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19c to $2.75 per piece. Were 25c to $4.50.

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VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 10th day of August, 1905.

Carrie L. King, vs. Nelson R. King } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree granting to the complainant, Carrie L. King, a divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant, Nelson R. King, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Nelson R. King, is a non-resident of this State: It is ordered That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city. A copy—Teste:

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A. Roy Knabenshue, the intrepid young western aeronaut, made the first official successful ascent and flight over the city in his great airship the Toledo II., following his preliminary test on Sunday. The great crowds that watched the flight were thrilled, as were the watchers on the bnks of the Hudson when Fulton guided his steamboat, the Clermont, up the river nearly a century ago.

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Traffic on the Pennsylvania Railroad was completely tied up for half an hour Tuesday night while Archbishop Francis Aition Symon, the Polish prelate, just arrived at Pittsburg from New York city, delivered an address in St. Stanislaus' Polish Catholic Church, corner of Twenty-first street and the Pennsylvania Railroad tracks. The church was crowded to the doors to hear the prelate talk on what is being accomplished by their people in this country. Every minute or two a train on the Pennsylvania would dash past and the voice of the speaker would be drowned in the noise. Finally Father John Wilms, director for the United States of the Society of the Holy Childhood, arose and left the church. A few minutes afterwards it was found that the passing of trains ceased and the Bishop continued his address without further interruption. Investigation showed that Father John had gone to the railroad tracks, where he took his position with folded arms, and defied any engineer to run over him. None of them dared and he remained there until the service was finished.

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In effect July 16, 1905

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For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x, 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20, 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25 8 50, 9 10, 9 40 10 00, 10 45x, 10 30, 11 00 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15 12 35, 1 00, 1 35 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x 6 30 6 45x, 7 00 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.

Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m.

Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40, 11 00, 11 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 an 11 50 p. m.

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 32, 11 32 a. m., 12 32, 1 32, 2 32, 3 32, 4 22, 4 47, 5 40, 7 05 and 9 05 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40, 1 40, 2 40 3 40, 4 47, 7 05, 9 05 and 10 25 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.

Leave Alexandria 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 15, 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 00, 1 45, 2 10, 2 40, 3 00, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 2 00, 2 20, 2 45, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

FOR ROSSLYN.

Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 11 40 a. m., 1 00, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 11 15 a. m 12 15, 1 20, 2 20, 3 20, 4 20, 5 40, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

Baggage checked and carried on the following trains from Alexandria for Washington week days: 8 30 and 10 25 a. m., 1 00, 3 00 and 6 10 p. m.

Sundays—8 15 a. m. and 6 20 p. m.

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SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Schedule effective July 23, 1905.

Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:

7:55 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonbur Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:05 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Southwestern Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon. Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham, Memphis and New Orleans. Dining car service

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria 8:18 A. M., 1:40, 4:23 and 4:53 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:33 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:00 A. M. and 6:33 P. M on Sundays only for Bluemont.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:17, 6:32, 9:23, 9 33 A. M. and 2:40, 9:10 and 9:30 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:35 A. M. week days and 9:00 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 8:05 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:00 P. M. daily.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.

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Schedule in effect April 16, 1905.

Trains leave station corner Fayette and Cameron streets for Washington and points north at 8 01 and 9 52 a. m., 12 21, 2 54, 7 08, 8 19, and 11 34 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 52 a. m., 12 21, 7 08, 8 19 and 11 34 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 56 (local), and 11 05 a. m., 3:59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 3 59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m.

Accommodation for Quantico 7 56 a. m. Sundays only, 4 42 p. m. week days and 8 32 p. m. except